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C O N F I D E N T I A L USUN 5423

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SUBJECT: 31ST UNGA: FOURTH COMMITTEE: ITEM 25: GUAM

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B) USUN 5422 (NOTAL)

1. AS OF 6:30 PM ON NOVEMBER 18, WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE DRAFT RESOLUTION ON GUAM WILL BE CIRCULATED ON NOVEMBER 19, WILL BE VOTED ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22, AND WILL CONTAIN THE LANGUAGE ON MILITARY BASES TRANSMITTED IN PARA 1 OF REF A. THE DELAY IN CIRCULATING THE DRAFT RES IS THE RESULT OF A TOTAL LACK OF COSPONSORS AS OF THIS MOMENT.

2. THERE FOLLOWS THE RESULTS OF USUN'S LOBBYING ON THE GUAM RESOLUTION ON NOVEMBER 18:

AUSTRIA WILL ABSTAIN. ARGENTINA WILL ABSTAIN. BELGIUM WILL ABSTAIN. COLOMBIA PERM REP ZEA PROMISED TO CONSIDER GOVERNOR SCRANTON'S REQUEST FOR A NO VOTE. CYPRUS WILL BE ABSENT. DUTCH WILL FIND IT HARD TO VOTE NO SINCE THEY ABSTAINED LAST YEAR, BUT COMMENDED OUR EARLY MOVE THIS YEAR. AT OUR REQUEST DUTCH, AS EC-9 PRESIDENT, RAISED THE ISSUE AT AN EC-9 MEETING ON NOVEMBER 18. GREECE IS VARY AWARE OF OUR VIEWS AND SEEKING INSTRUCTIONS. IRANIAN PERM REP HAD INTENDED TO VOTE YES AND EXPLAINED HIS VOTE, BUT PROMISED TO PUT THE OPTION OF ABSTENTION TO TEHRAN. HE IS NOT OPTIMISTIC THAT TEHRAN WILL AGREE. ISRAEL WILL VOTE NO. JAPAN WILL NOT SUPPORT THE RES AND BELIEVES IT HAS BEEN HELPFUL WITH THE ASEANS, WHO ARE GRATEFUL FOR JAPAN'S VOTE ON TIMOR. NIGERIA IS CONSIDERING OUR DEMARCHE. NEW ZEALAND IS SEEKING INSTRUCTIONS BUT MAY FIND IT DIFFICULT TO MOVE TO A "NO" VOTE IN LIGHT OF LAST YEAR'S ABSENTION ON TOUGHER LANGUAGE. AN ABSTENTION SEEMS LIKELY NORWAY IS AWAITING INSTRUCTIONS. PHILIPPINES WILL ABSTAIN.
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PORTUGAL WILL TAKE OUR VIEWS INTO ACCOUNT. ZAIRE WILL BE ABSENT.

2. THE FOLLOWING TOOK NOTE OF PRESENTATIONS WHICH BROUGHT THEM UP TO DATE ON THE STATE OF PLAY AND RECONFIRMED THAT WE WILL VOTE AGAINST THE RESOLUTION AND HOPE FOR THEIR SUPPORT: ARGENTINA, EQUATORIAL GUINEA, MALAWI, SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE, SWEDEN, URUGUAY, VENEZUELA.

3. USUN IS CONTINUING TO LOBBY AS WIDELY AS POSSIBLE, IN PARTICULAR WHERE EMBASSIES HAVE SUGGESTED SOME FURTHER EFFORT IN NEW YORK.

4. SECRETARIAT FFICIAL INFORMED US THAT AS OF

1900, IT HAD NOT BEEN POSSIBLE TO FIND ANY COSPONSORS
FOR THE GUAM RESOLUTION.
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